

STATEMENT OF GOVERNOR HALEY BARBOUR
ON ACTION IN FORREST COUNTY CIRCUIT COURT
REGARDING CLYDE KENNARD

May 17, 2006

“I am very pleased to have been a part of this successful effort to clear the name of Clyde Kennard. Over the past several weeks we have been working to find an appropriate remedy that would exonerate Mr. Kennard; this is the appropriate, constitutional way for this innocent man to be exonerated.”